HASSAN DISTRICT.

Notification dated 18th March 1895.

Under orders from the Government of Mysore, the right to collect tolls at the Toll-gate at the Maranhalli Ghats in the Manjarabad Taluk, Hassan District, for a period of twelve months commencing from 1st July 1895 and ending with 30th June 1896, will be sold by public auction at the Taluk Cutcherry, at Saklespur on Thursday the 25th April 1895.

2. The contractor who purchases the right is entitled to collect toll at the rates mentioned in the schedule, and he should conform himself to the rules published in the late Chief Commissioner's Notification No. 274, dated 4th November 1876.

3. The Hassan Deputy Commissioner reserves to himself the power of refusing or accepting the highest or any bid that may be offered.

4. The person whose bid is accepted shall at once deposit one-fourth of the amount bid for, in advance and shall pay the remaining amount by three equal instalments on the 20th of every month commencing from the 20th of July 1895. He should also furnish a surety, who shall execute a security bond and shall present it duly registered for the regular payment of the monthly instalment.

5. If the deposit is not made and the security is not furnished, the contract shall be sold again at the risk of the bidder. If any default is made in the payment of the instalment, interest at one pie per rupee per month shall be levied till the date of payment and the contract shall also be liable to be sold again at the discretion of the Deputy Commissioner, or at the request of the surety, and the deficit, if any, shall be recovered from the contractor or the surety, as a revenue demand.

6. In addition to the amount bid for, the contractor is, subject to the conditions stated in paras 4 and 5, bound to pay local cess at one anna per rupee of the contract amount paid into the Treasury.

7. The contractor is also bound to keep a true and correct account, showing the daily collections, and it shall be open to inspection by the Taluk and District authorities.

8. He shall also be bound to keep true accounts of traffic passing through the Ghat as specified in condition 7, for which purpose, he shall bind himself to maintain at his own cost a resident Muntsaddi.

9. The contractor will have the use of the Government toll-house and gate, and he will be required to keep them in good repair.

10. The contractor shall be required to furnish to the Manjarabad Taluk Cutcherry not later than the 1st of each month a true return showing the traffic on the Ghat for the previous month.

11. The following is the schedule of rates :—

No.	*Particulars.*	*Amount.* Rs.	a.	p.
1	On every four-wheeled carriage	2	0	0
2	Ditto two-wheeled carriage	1	0	0
3	Ditto ekka	0	4	0
4	Ditto hackney on springs	0	2	0
5	Ditto cart and hackney, not on springs, drawn by eight bullocks, buffaloes, horses, ponies, asses or mules, if laden.. ..	1	8	0
6	Ditto ditto if not laden	0	8	0
7	Ditto ditto 6 bullocks, &c., if laden	0	12	0
8	Ditto ditto ditto if not laden	0	6	0
9	Ditto ditto 4 bullocks, &c., if laden	0	8	0
10	Ditto ditto ditto if not laden	0	4	0
11	Ditto ditto 2 bullocks, &c., if laden	0	4	0
12	Ditto ditto ditto if not laden	0	2	0
13	Ditto buffaloes or bullocks, per head, if laden	0	1	0
14	Ditto ditto ditto if not laden	0	0	3
15	Ditto elephant	1	8	0
16	Ditto camel, if laden	0	8	0
17	Ditto camel, if not laden	0	4	0
18	Ditto horse, if laden or ridden	0	1	6
19	Ditto horse, unladen or led	0	0	9
20	Ditto tattu or mule, if laden or ridden	0	0	9
21	Ditto ditto unladen or led	0	0	6
22	Ditto asses, if laden or ridden..	0	0	6
23	Ditto ditto unladen or led	0	0	1
24	Ditto sheep, goat or pig	0	0	1
25	Ditto palanquin, dholi, palna, tonjon with 8 bearers	1	0	0
26	Ditto ditto 6 ditto	0	12	0
27	Ditto ditto 4 ditto	0	8	0
28	Ditto ditto 2 ditto	0	4	0

N. B.—No toll will be levied from foot passengers.

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